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President Charles C. Moore Praises the Country Press

President Chas. C. Moore of the P. P. I. E., the greatest of all expositions, who has achieved a name which will go down in history as that of a man whose broad and intelligent guidance has made a success of the great Exposition in the face of the most adverse conditions, is to be congratulated and praised for the appreciation he expresses for the co-operation of the press, and especially the country press, in assisting to make the big undertaking a success.

President Moore recognizes the value of printers' ink and its liberal application by country editors, who usually place it where it will do the most good.

President Moore has seen to it that the press was treated most courteously throughout the life of the big fair, and now sends us a personal invitation to participate in the impressive ceremonies that will mark the closing of the fair December 4.

Every newspaperman in central California, and especially in the bay cities, will no doubt be in attendance and join in the sentiment at noon December 4.

DEAD AND WOUNDED AT ARRAS.

Thanksgiving Passed Quietly in Richmond

Nearly All the Churches Observed the Day With Special Programs---Turkey In Abundance For All.

There was nothing to prevent the most "violent pessimist" from offering thanks yesterday for blessings of the year 1915, the healthful condition of our people, the absence of suffering and want, the general contentedness and happiness of our people.

Even the weather man brushed away the rain clouds and the day was sunshiny and perfect.

Thousands of machines traversed the highways and beautiful drives around the bay cities and in the interior, a constant interchanging stream of humanity, the uniting of families and friends, a feast day given over to rest and thankful observance.

No serious accidents or fatalities occurred to mar the day's enjoyment.

And best of all—everybody had turkey.

U. S. Government Surveyers Take Measurements

There was some curiosity aroused among the residents at the east base of big Cerrito hill Friday when two large autos loaded with navy officials and surveyors stopped on Madison street and began running lines, driving stakes, etc., working along the entire eastern side of the big hill, a distance of 900 yards.

It is said Admiral Pond was in the party, and that it was learned something would be doing in Marin avenue in the near future.

On the Fighting Line Six Months

Among the many citizens of Richmond who have near relatives fighting in the European war could be mentioned some who have lost brothers, sons and nephews. But there is one German soldier who has a charmed life.

He is the brother of Albert Hoeffer, a local baker, who has received a letter stating he had been on the firing line six months, participated in 17 terrible drives, and at last was taken home ill and permitted to visit his wife and babies again. He states that in one battle all his comrade friends were killed, he being the only one left, and for his bravery was honored with the iron cross.

LATE NEWS "TERMINALS"

Richmond high school is closed today, giving two holidays.

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Dr. C. R. Blake reports that the typhoid fever epidemic is checked.

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The Richmond Dredging Co. was awarded the $95,000 sewer contract in the canal subdivision.

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Hon. J. Rio Baker, the trustworthy county treasurer, called at The Terminal Tuesday.

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Hon. W. R. Sharkey, the assemblyman and editor of the Martinez Standard, called at The Terminal newspaper office Tuesday.

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On account of the turkey war in Oakland Wednesday night, the price per pound was cut to 15c. The homeward bound Richmond cars were alive with gobblers.

Exposition Briefs.

County Commissioner R. R. Veale has rendered valuable service to Richmond and the county during the Exposition.

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Charles Sweeney, who trained with Booster John Bermingham, is doing excellent work in advertising the county's resources.

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Senator C. M. Belshaw's tall chrysanthemums caught on good.

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The Contra Costa county exhibits attract the crowds.

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Messrs. Read and Sweeney are adding new exhibits daily. They are good rustlers.

A Get-to-Gether Organization Wanted

Richmond is sadly in need of a get-to-gether club—call it "Commercial Club," "Business Men's Club" or "Chamber of Commerce." We have many clubs in Richmond, which if combined into one big club would "bring home the bacon" pronto. In the language of Benjamin Franklin: "We must hang together, or we will surely hang apart." "Solidarity" is the slogan. Get out of that selfish groove into the broad, open field of beneficence and good fellowship. Take the hint given by H. C. Capwell, who tells us of the Southern California way.

The Royal Arch Masons entertained a dancing party at Bank hall Wednesday night.

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H. J. Wilson, Santa Fe employe, has located in Richmond. He is from Riverbank.

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Geo. W. Thornbrough, the jeweler at 222 Macdonald, who was quite ill, is on the street again.

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J. E. Strong will be the new law partner of Wilbur S. Pierce, with offices in the Schram building.

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R. Glaze, San Francisco, was awarded the contract for the new Pullman school. His bid was the lowest, $9298.

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It is now the "Hotel Terminal" and mine host Bruns is going to make an attractive corner at Second and Macdonald.

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Final inspection of the new city hall plans will be made tonight by the committee and submitted to the city council Monday night.

Stags Entertain Ladies' Night

Ladies night was entertained by the Patriotic and Protective Order of Stags at their hall in the Pillow block Wednesday night, a fine program, interspersed with musical selections and speeches being rendered, after which dancing was the attraction for those inclined.

Toastmaster Roberts performed admirably, and his poem made a hit with the large audience who applauded him vigorously.

Director E. J. Deaver made a good talk. Mr. Deaver is one of the most valuable members in Richmond drove, and as organizer has enrolled over 200 members.

Attorney Wilbur S. Pierce made a strong talk on Fraternalism, and paid a fine tribute to the Order of Stags. Mr. Pierce is a charter member of No. 130.

Prelate Michaels addressed the audience on "Smoking." He said he thought it was a "bad thing," especially for microbes. He then lit his pipe and sat down, amid deafening applause.

Advertisers of merchandise should get busy now, while their stocks are fresh and new. Then there will be no congestion nor panics at the last hour.

Clarence A. Odell, Attorney-at-Law; also notary. First National Bank Bldg. Phone 80.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Lots 12 and 14, blk. 15, Turpin add., Richmond. For price write C. E. Rogers, Windom, Minn. jal

Wanted—A "Safety First" device to give warning of the approach of holiday canvassers. Address, "Easy Money," Box D.

Wanted—An egg-producing food for chickens; I have 70 hens and get four eggs per week; I have tried out several tons of egg food both foreign and domestic, with little success. No fakers. Address "City Lady," Box D.

Wanted—To exchange some mining stock for good legal advice. "Emma," Box D.

Johnson, the bootblack, cor. 6th & Macdonald.

Additional Rust News.

Rueben Curry took a trip to Martinez Sunday to see his brother who has been sick for a week. It has been eight long years since his last visit to our county seat.

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Regs Lenzen, Florian Stark, and E. N. Ayer constitute the committee appointed by the Praetorians to make preparations for a "home talent" show to be given in January. Watch The Terminal for developments.

From Richmond's Suburbs

By THE TERMINAL'S CORRESPONDENTS

Rust Notes.

Rust—The land of the midnight son.

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Nobody Hoani says: "Prepare ye the actors of talent."

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Louis G. Davis was initiated by the Praetorians Friday evening.

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Now is the time for all good men to subscribe for The Terminal

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Frank Butterfield and Judge A. H. Mackinnon attended the Elks party in Richmond Thursday evening.

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J. J. Vincent received a carload of cattle Friday. Joe says business is better'n ever.

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Mrs. Rube Curry
Rust, Cal.:
Dear Mrs. Rube:
Autumn's here again
And with it brings
Thanksgiving Day
When thought returns
To humble hearth
And one who worked
With loving hands
Never thinking of Herself
To make us glad
At dinner large
And you've worked
Full many a night
In banquet room
Next where we dance
Each Friday night
We do think
That if giving more
And seeking less
Is life's success
Then Mysterious realm
Where caravan moves
Holds naught
But pleasant dreams
For you.

WE
THANK
YOU.

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The Sunset View Cemetery has broken ground for a mausoluem. The building will contain a crematory, chapel and 2000 niches.

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Mrs. A. Ward of Dos Palos is paying Mrs. J. J. Vincent a visit this week. She will attend the Fair before returning to her southern ranch.

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The trial of the People vs. J. Mosca with Sebastian and Francis Peich as complaining witnesses came before Judge Mackinnon Thursday. Mosca plead guilty to assault and battery and was fined $50, the judge admonishing him at the same time that "you can't get something for nothing—not even a fight."

The Thanksgiving eve dance at Rust hall, given by the Praetorians was the big affair of the season. The hall was crowded to "S.R.O." Those winning prizes were: Grand prizes F. J. White, Chas. P. Fenley, Messrs. Bert Curry, Carling, Stark, Smith. Mesdames Gately, Schwake and Miss M. Cotant, Miss Mary Williams.

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Tuesday evening's play heightened the interest in the Foresters' whist tournament. Mesdames A. H. Mackinnon, M. Peterson, and F. G. Weeks were the successful lady players and Messrs. F. Conlan, F. Flint, and Wm. Rust Jr., caused the remaining male players to feel insignificant. Dancing concluded a keenly recreative evening.

It was in The Terminal.

The Story of the Merchant Prince.

There was an old geezer and he had a lot of sense;
He started up a business on a dollar-eighty cents.
The dollar for stock and the eighty for an ad
Brought him three lovely dollars in a day, by dad!

Well, he bought more goods and a little more space
And he played that system with a smile on his face,
The customers flocked to his two-by-four
And soon he had to hustle for a regular store

Up on the square, where the people pass,
He gobbled up a corner that was all plate glass.
He fixed up the windows with the best that he had
And he told 'em all about it in a half-page ad.

He soon had 'em coming and he never, never quit,
And he wouldn't cut down on his ads one bit.
Well, he's kept things humming in the town ever since,
And everybody calls him the Merchant Prince.

Some say it's luck, but that's all bunk—
Why, he was doing business when the times were punk.
People have to purchase and the geezer was wise—
For he knew the way to get 'em was to advertise.

—Chicago Hearthstone.

How to Kill a Town.

[Exchange.]

Force the merchants to compete with public street markets.

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Do the city work with hobo and jail labor and give workingmen no employment.

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Vote down all bonds and propositions to make public improvement.

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Patronize mail order houses and send your printing out of town.

Drive out all contractors and their crews and minimize public expenditure.

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Close all amusements on Sunday so that people will go elsewhere for entertainment.

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High priced stores seldom advertise.

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A. F. Edwards
The Jeweler of Oakland
ESTABLISHED IN 1879
1227-1229 Broadway
Select your Xmas Gifts Early

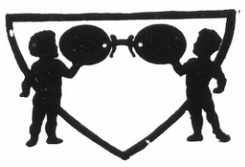
$18.75 SPECIAL for this late New York Style Fall Suit worth $25

and Liberal Credit

All wanted materials
All desirable shades
Newest Cloth Coats
100 just in by the fast express at a special price of
$10
WAIST SPECIALS IN SILK AT
$2.50 & $3.00

CREDIT
Eastern Outfitting Co.
581 Fourteenth St., OAKLAND

The Benefit of
Wearing Eye Glasses



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Polytechnic Business College

Weekly Summary of World's News

A HELPING HAND FOR WOULD-BE SUICIDES

Oakland Pastor Plans to Establish Bureau as Clearing House for Troubles

Oakland.—Declaring that men and women who commit crime and suicide do so from insufficient understanding of personal obligations, Rev. John W. Jackson, recently appointed pastor of the Eight Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church, has announced his intention of establishing an anti-suicide bureau in connection with his church, which will be the first institution of the kind in the world.

"My purpose will not be to dissuade people in their intentions," he said, in discussing the plan. "I will not betray any confidences. My bureau is to be a clearing-house for trouble, regardless of doctrinal preferences. Men and women may frequently be saved from committing crimes or taking other false steps merely through meeting and talking to someone to whom they can confide their troubles. That is where I intend this bureau shall accomplish its work. Its principles will be based upon practical Christianity, not upon the theoretical kind."

Rev. Dr. Jackson, who was formerly pastor of the Hamilton Methodist Church in San Francisco, said that he had had considerable experience in his work in the latter city and had found that the idea would work.

"I do not intend to preach to anybody who comes to me for help," he said. "The person in trouble doesn't want sermons—he wants sympathy."

BLACKHANDER GUILTY; ATTEMPTED EXTORTION

Tony Difranco Convicted of Trying to Force Money From Rich Fish Man

San Jose.—Tony Difranco, "Blackhander," was found guilty November 18 as charged, after five hours of deliberation.

Difranco was accused of having attempted to extort $2000 from A Trapani, president of the Western Fish Company of San Francisco, by means of letters signed "Black Hand" and demanding that Trapani take the money to a designated spot in Sausalito. When Trapani did not comply with the demands, the front of his house at Jones and Francisco streets, San Francisco, was dynamited. No one was hurt.

Difranco was arrested after a long investigation of Blackhand operations. Detective W. L. Dreischmeyer and District Attorney Arthur M. Free were back of the prosecution. Joe Vetrano was arrested with Difranco and both were indicted by the Grand Jury in the Trapani case.

Free and others are said to have received letters threatening their lives for their part in the prosecution of Difranco. Postoffice inspectors have been watching the progress of the case with the idea, it is said, of future prosecutions for misuse of the mails.

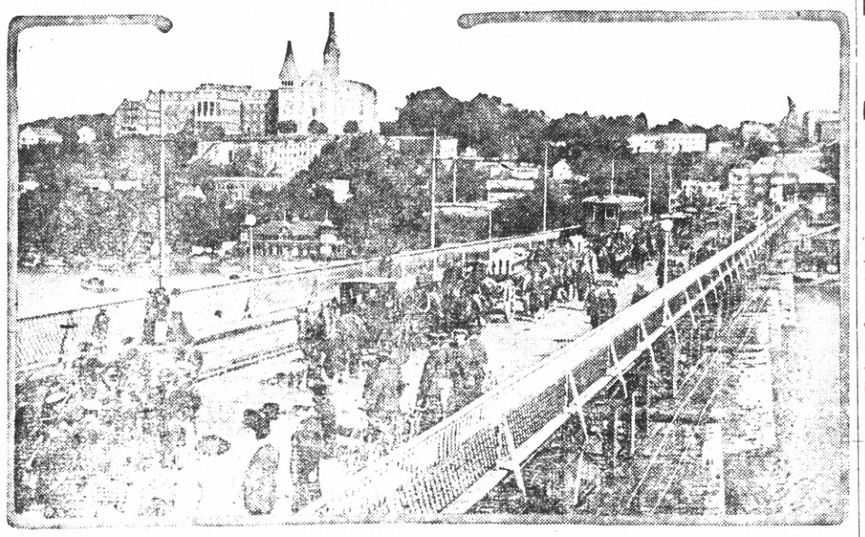
Oakland.—Mrs. Elsie Bacigalupi, 1732 Fifteenth street, returned to her home early Wednesday morning, November 17, after attending a concert at the Municipal Auditorium, to find that her aged father, George Frederick Nueschutz, had hanged himself from a rafter in the basement of the family home. Worry over the troubles of another daughter, Mrs. Esther Harvey, who is in the war zone of Mexico, and an unhealed wound resulting from an operation are given as the cause of his act.

Weaverville.—Loren Freyer, 15 years old, confessed that he killed Lim Sing, a Chinese mine owner, it was stated November 17 by J. S. Reid, District Attorney. Investigation of the crime, based on Freyer's previous statements, Reid said, implicated several Chinese. Freyer's motive, according to the alleged confession, was robbery. He said he obtained nothing.

The fifteenth annual convention of the West Virginia Equal Suffrage Association at the closing session November 18 authorized a budget of $25,930 for use in the fight to obtain the adoption of a woman's suffrage amendment to the State Constitution at the polls next November. Most of the money will be devoted to publicity work.

Mrs. Thomas T. Ramesdell, wife of a director of the New York Telephone Company, and whose husband is one of the wealthiest men in Western New York, was instantly killed November 18 when her automobile was struck by a New York flyer on the Lake Shore railroad at Lake View, N. Y.

FUNERAL OF SUBMARINE F-4 VICTIMS



Funeral [illegible] the members of the crew of the American submarine F-4 who perished when the vessel sank in Honolulu harbor, on its way to Arlington National cemetery at Washington.

BRITONS CRUSHED; MONASTIR INVESTED

Bulgars Smash Defenses of City on Greek Frontier; Break English Column

Salonika.—The Bulgarians have occupied Monastir, according to advices reaching here.

A heavy detachment of British troops, following reports of the critical nature of the Serbian position in the Monastir sector, November 16, rushed to the new battle arena just north of the Greek border. They were reinforced with heavy artillery. While no details of the battle before Monastir are at hand it is assumed the Bulgarians and Germans administered a crushing defeat to the allies.

The Serbs, badly demoralized, fled before the battle, and were unable to be of assistance to the British column, advices from Albanian border towns having reported their arrival.

London.—The "Star" November 18 printed the following dispatch from Rome:

"The entente has made representations at Athens which will be followed by immediate action. The allies will not tolerate any delay. Preparations have been completed, the nature of which is withheld. Italy is destined to play an important role in the developments."

Both north and south the outlook for the harassed Serbian armies is black.

Almost four-fifth of Serbia is now overrun by the Austro-Germans and Bulgarians, whose advance into the mountain kingdom has been very rapid.

There appears to be no hope that the British and French forces landed at Saloniki can give the Serbs at any point any assistance. The Bulgars bar the way at the Uskup Junction and the Katchanik Pass, while the most available roads are not suitable for the transport of large armies with guns and commissariat wagons.

CANAL CLOSED FOR A LONG TIME IS BELIEF

Many Employes in Operating Division Are Discharged or Transferred

Panama.—Owing to the tying up of the Panama canal by the recent slide, many employees, mainly in the operating divisions, are being furloughed or given vacations, which is taken here to indicate that the canal will remain closed for a much longer time than was first expected.

In most cases employees are being dismissed. In a number of cases employees of the operating division have been transferred to other divisions which were in need of men, owing to the increased work, notably the dredging division, which has taken over most of the canal pilots as tug masters and captains of dredges.

It has been learned that it is the intention of Major-General George W. Goethals, Governor-General of the canal zone, to force a temporary channel through the slide as quickly as possible and pass through the waterway a few ships which have been waiting since the canal closed, and then again shut off traffic through the canal until all danger of slides has been definitely ended. This probably will not be less than six months, according to the best available estimates.

NEWS OF THE WORLD IN A NUTSHELL

Chico.—William Hamilton was nearly killed November 18 when a steam engine on which he was working at his home on Chico Vecino blew up. He had constructed the engine and was repairing it. He was badly scalded and is in a local hospital under treatment.

Palo Alto.—Some 200 Epworth Leaguers representing sixteen chapters in Santa Clara county and Hollister in San Benito county were represented at the Santa Clara County Alliance Epworth League rally at the Palo Alto Methodist Church November 17.

San Jose.—Twenty-one men arrested by the police in a campaign to clean up gambling dens and dives in this city, were convicted of vagrancy in the Police Court November 18 and sentenced to 180 days each in the County Jail, with an alternative of a $180 fine in a number cases.

Visalia.—In competition with six other contractors, Trewhitt & Shields of Fresno were awarded the construction of Visalia's new Municipal Auditorium on a bid of $33,000. According to the terms of the contract, work must be started on the building within thirty days.

Loma Linda.—Preachers should make a practice of sawing wood, splitting rails and digging ditches, Elder George I. Butler declared here recently in a sermon before the convention of Seventh Day Adventist ministers. This, he said, was a certain cure for nervous prostration.

Stockton.—Mystery surrounding the finding of a nine-months-old baby girl near this city November 16, remains unsolved. Officers believe the child was taken to the lonely spot, where she was found, and deliberately abandoned. J. Del Porto, coming home at 6 o'clock in the morning, saw the baby crawling in a ditch beside the Santa Fe tracks.

Oakland.—George Lyon of Nelson, Neb., was the speaker at the meeting of the Joaquin Miller Club November 17. Lyon read from a number of the poets. Mrs. Joaquin Miller, widow of the poet, recited "Heroes of Today" and Tennyson's "Crossing the Bar." Mr. Lawrence of Los Angeles recited original poems.

Alameda.—Members of the choir of the First Congregational Church were given a surprise November 16 while guests at an affair given by Miss Vera Morris, when she announced her engagement to Charles A. Sparks. Both are members of the choir, and Miss Morris is a daughter of Councilman and Mrs. George T. Morris.

Sebastopol.—Miss Mildred Wadsworth, the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wadsworth, was married to Edwin H. Crossley, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Crossley of San Jose, at the home of the bride's parents November 18. Rev. George W. Brewster of the San Jose Christian Church officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Crossley will make their home in San Jose.

Fresno.—The National Guard companies of Fresno will be given the moral and financial support of the business men of this city. This was the decision reached November 18 at a joint meeting held in the new armory. A campaign will be started to bring the companies up to their standard enrollment, and funds will be available to furnish the new quarters.

Nevada City.—Perceiving a six horse team running away with a wood wagon on a steep hill here, J. F. Dolan jumped into the wagon for the purpose of setting the brake, only to find that the cause of the runaway was a broken brake. Dolan, who is a man of great strength, grabbed one of the rear wheels and held it until the horses were brought under control. Such a feat was never before witnessed here.

16-INCH GUN IS TRIUMPH OF NAVY

Two 36,000-Ton Battle Ships May Carry Huge Rifles and Have 25-Knot Speed

Washington.—Tentative plans are being considered, Secretary Daniels said November 18, for two 36,000-ton battleships to be included in the first year's part of the five-year building program Congress will be asked to approve. There are no warships so large afloat anywhere in the world now.

Part of the increased displacement in the newest ships will be due to changed hull construction to provide additional torpedo-defense bulkheads. While the general characteristics of the ships have not been disclosed, it is probable that they will have increased armament and speed. The Navy has developed a 16-inch rifle of which no use has yet been made, and the new ships may carry ten or more of these if developments of the European war indicate the wisdom of mounting them. The largest guns now afloat are the 15-inch weapons of European navies, which the American 14-inch rifle is said to equal for all practical purposes.

Maximum speed of American battleships now built or authorized is less than twenty-one knots, although European first-line ships go considerably above that. It is considered probable that a speed of perhaps twenty-five knots will be sought hereafter.

HUGE DEAL IN REALTY BY CLARENCE PAYNE

San Franciscan in Transaction in New York Involving Over $3,500,000

New York.—Clarence Payne, the young San Francisco millionaire, has brought his real estate activities to a climax by a big deal with the Postal Life Insurance Company. The nucleus of the trade is the property at Fifth avenue and Forty-third street, which was bought by Harris and Mandelbaum, last summer with a syndicate for $2,100,000. They arranged for the erection of a skyscraper. Payne got the property a month ago at about $3,000,000, including the projected building. He has now sold it to the Postal Life for $3,500,000. The deal is one of the largest in the history of New York City.

Berkeley.—After journeying 9000 miles, the party of twenty-nine champion boy farmers from the high school agricultural clubs throughout the State arrived in Berkeley, and immediately left for their various homes. Professor E. H. Cocheron and Professor R. M. Hagan of the University of California Department of Agriculture had charge of the trip, the second annual trip given to agricultural prize winners by the University.

Santa Cruz.—The dead woman found on the beach at Capitola November 16 is Mrs. George Franzen, who left Watsonville November 16 for the city. Friends identified the body. It is believed that death was due to a fainting spell, the woman falling face down in the sand and suffocating to death. Although the waves had washed up to where she was found, there were no indications of water in the lungs, nor any signs of foul play or poisoning.

HILLSTROM IS SHOT; DENIS GUILT TO LAST

Faces Firing Squak With Eyes Unblindfolded; I. W. W. Dies Unafraid

Salt Lake City.—Unafraid and with eyes fixed directly on his executioners, Joseph Hillstrom, the I. W. W. poet, was shot to death by a firing squad here November 19. He protested his innocence to the end.

The signal to fire was given at 7:41 o'clock. One minute and 22 seconds later Hillstrom was officially pronounced dead.

Four riflemen aimed directly at Hillstrom's heart and that organ was pierced by several bullets. The fifth member of the firing squad carried a sawed-off shotgun.

Hillstrom requested that the Sheriff permit him to go to his death with his eyes free from all bandages.

"I want to look into the eyes of the men," he said, "who are to commit willful murder."

Following the receipt of a message to Governor Spry late Thursday night, November 18, from Seattle that William Busby of that city had made affidavit that he was with Hillstrom on the night that J. G. Morrison was killed and that Hillstrom was innocent, the Board of Pardons was hastily called and conferred until daybreak. They refused to halt the execution, the members asserting they believed the message was only a ruse.

At 7:33 o'clock the Board of Pardons notified Sheriff Corless that its members had decided not to interfere with Hillstrom's execution.

The death march was led by Warden Pratt, with the physicians, deputies and the members of the firing squad following.

Sheriff Corless, after Hillstrom was officially announced dead, issued the following statement:

"The execution was carried out without a hitch. It was most humane in every particular."

Efforts of President Wilson to save Hillstrom's life failed. On Wednesday, November 17, the President urged Governor Spry to commute his sentence, but the Utah executive flatly refused to interfere. The Governor also was unmoved by a telegram from the Swedish National Society of Chicago requesting him to commute the sentence to life imprisonment.

Salt Lake City.—Joseph Hillstrom was convicted upon circumstantial evidence of the murder of J. G. Morrison and his son in Salt Lake City. Hillstrom was a poet philosopher and a friend of the Industrial Workers of the World. Chief among those who made strenuous efforts to save him from execution were I. W. W. leaders of this section of the country.

In October, 1913, two masked men entered the grocery store of Morrison & Son.

"We've got you now," exclaimed one of the intruders, and both began shooting.

The elder Morrison fell mortally wounded at the first shot. Morrison's son began shooting at the men, and the bandits turned their fire upon him. He was shot and fatally wounded. The robbers escaped.

In Murray, Utah, three days later, Hillstrom was arrested. He had a bullet wound in his chest. He answered the general description of one of the robbers.

The poet explained that he had received the bullet wound when he was found calling upon a woman. He refused to tell the woman's name, declaring that he would protect her honor with his life if necessary.

"Let her tell, if she wants to," he told the police who questioned him. "I never will tell."

Governor Spry since the conviction of Hillstrom has been deluged with letters asking him to spare the life of the poet. Some letters threatening the executive's life were received at the capitol, but Governor Spry declined to interfere.

Following President Wilson's first request for executive clemency, Governor Spry granted a respite, but refused to commute Hillstrom's sentence to life imprisonment. The State Board of Pardons, after reviewing the case, terminated the respite on October 16, and ordered that Hillstrom be executed by a firing squad within forty-five days.

At the meeting of the Board evidence was presented connecting Hillstrom with several dynamiting plots, and involving him in the dynamiting activities of the McNamara brothers.

On October 18, Hillstrom was taken into court and re-sentenced to be executed on November 19. Following the pronouncing of the sentence, Hillstrom gave out the following interview:

"Well, I guess it's good-bye this time. I had a narrow escape the other time when President Wilson interfered, but this time I guess I go. And if my case comes to the tragic climax, it will find me no less a man than I have been all along. I am just as positive as I am that I am barred from liberty by prison walls, that my vindication is coming. I may be executed on November 19, but my vindication is coming.

"I choose shooting in preference to hanging for a simple reason. Life is naturally very sweet to me and a hard thing to lose. I prefer to lose it by the easiest way. A hangman's noose may fail, but it is seldom that four bullets of a five-man squad will miss their mark. Electrocution may be easy, but shooting for me.

"Again I wish to send my friends a fond farewell, and may God accept my life as a sacrifice on the altar of the cause of free trials for workingmen."

President Wilson, last Wednesday, again sent a message to Governor Spry urging another respite.

MARE ISLAND ONLY COAST COMPETITOR

West Is Not Prepared to Build Great Superdreadnaughts for the U. S. Navy

San Francisco.—That the Pacific Coast is not now prepared to build battleships of the superdreadnaught class was disclosed recently when bids for the construction of the two 32,000-ton battleships authorized by the last Congress were opened by the Navy Department from three navy yards and three private companies.

With the exception of the bid submitted by the Mare Island Navy Yard, all six proffers were from the Atlantic seaboard. Commandant Bennett at Mare Island stated that to build a superdreadnaught at that yard would require an extra appropriation of $162,548 to enlarge the plant and that the keel could not be laid until September, 1916.

The limit fixed for the maximum cost of the hull and machinery of each of these ships, which are known as Nos. 43 and 44, is $7,800,000.

BUILDING BIDS OFFERED.

The bids are as follows: Mare Island Navy Yard, $7,416,156; New York Navy Yard, $6,987,667; Philadelphia Navy Yard, $6,774,144; New York Shipbuilding Company, $7,700,000; Newport News Shipbuilding Company, $7,775,000; Forcriver Shipbuilding Company, $7,709,500.

Armor bids were submitted from the Carnegie Steel Company, $425; Midvale Steel Company, $435; Bethlehem Steel Company, $435; Pittsburg Screw and Bolt Company, $404 per ton.

In regard to no bid being submitted from a Pacific Coast shipbuilding company, John A. McGregor of the Union Iron Works said:

"The Union Iron Works did not submit a bid because it is not prepared to build superdreadnaughts. Pacific Coast plants cannot hope to compete with Atlantic yards where such amounts of material have to be transported from Eastern mills. These same conditions apply to the Mare Island yard."

Mare Island's bid represents what it will cost the Government to produce the battleship at that yard, including additional equipment for such construction.

This new equipment is for the extension of the building slip, now only big enough to accommodate a large collier of the Jupiter type.

These new battleships will cost when completed $15,000,000.

In comparison with the Nevada, the last battleship to be commissioned, they will displace 2500 more tons, are fifty feet longer and carry a full dozen 14-inch rifles instead of ten. Their bows have been designed on the same clipper lines used in the California.

WOMAN IS FREED, BUT MAN IS FOUND GUILTY

Lodi Realty Dealer Who Eloped With Wife of Oakland Man Is Held to Blame

Stockton.—B. F. Woodson, a prominent Lodi real estate dealer, charged with having eloped with Mrs. Evelyn May Boecktel of Oakland a year ago, was convicted here November 18.

Woodson was arrested at the instance of Mrs. Boecktel's husband, Otto I. Boecktel, an Oakland contractor, who preferred a statutory charge against both him and Mrs. Boecktel. He stated that Woodson had stolen his wife and that he had searched for her in vain for nearly a year, finally locating the pair on a ranch near Lodi. He testified that he loved his wife.

The woman was recently tried and acquitted.

DOES STOKER'S WORK

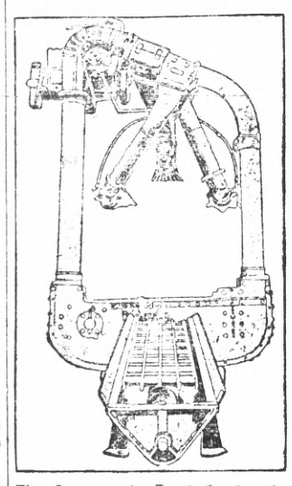
Ingenious Apparatus to Feed Locomotive Furnace.

Claim Is Made That It Will Do the Work to Better Advantage and Also Effect a Considerable Saving in Coal.

Hereafter the locomotive fireman will be a fireman only in name. His work will be to help the engineer watch for signals and to put lubricants in the oil cups. The reason is that coal is to be put into the firebox by a stoker. The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy railroad already has 600 engines so equipped. Hence this is no dream.

By this simple change the railroads will use a different size of coal. Because they will do so, they will stop competing with the householder for the lumps in the nation's coal pile. It may be predicted, therefore, that coal for house use will not cost so much in future. But—this is getting ahead of the story.

From the efficiency viewpoint there are two great drawbacks to the human stoker. Because of the strong draft a locomotive furnace has a tendency to draw small pieces of coal through the stack. Also it was hard work for a man, by the old method, to shovel coal from the tender to the firebox. He made his work easier by shoveling



The Conveyor in Front Carries the Coal to Conveyors in the Two Side Pipes, Which Deposit It on the Fire by Means of the Three Chutes Hanging From the Top of the Device.

a lot of coal and then taking a rest. This resulted in fuel waste. Both difficulties are met by the new stoker.

A small conveyor, set in a trough, runs from the coal pile to the front of the firebox. This scoops the coal from underneath the pile and carries it forward. At the front of the firebox the coal is forced into a pipe inside which runs another conveyor. Its loaded buckets run up the left-hand side of the furnace and drop the coal into a small pocket from which it is fed down to the fire through three spouts. The empty buckets return to the floor through the pipe down the right-hand side of the furnace.

Of the three spouts through which the coal reaches the fire, two are near the front to spread the coal over the forward part of the grate. The third is about in the center of the combustion chamber to spread the coal over the rear of the grate.

By means of pieces of mechanism these spouts spread coal upon the fire at stated intervals. By this means the furnace fire is replenished as needed. The effect, in fact, is that of the most skillful hand firing, but done by machinery.

Small-sized coal is used. This is known in the East as slack and in the West as screenings. It includes all coal which passes through a screen having openings an inch and a half wide. The use of small coal is a complete reversal of the old railroad practice.—Illustrated World.

Need for Vocational Training.

Of the importance of vocational training particularly at this crisis in international affairs, Dr. C. P. Steinmetz, formerly president of the National Association of Corporation Schools, says: "Vocational training is the most important industrial problem in this country. The supply of artisans with broad training from Europe is now cut off and the training of workmen in this country is of paramount interest. The superiority of America in the electrical industry over all other countries is due largely to educational development and to co-operation between manufacturing companies and educational institutions."

Chilean Commerce Improves.

Commercial conditions in Chile are showing much more optimism now than for some time past. The great quantities of nitrate of soda shipped have helped restore cheer. This material is used in the manufacture of powder. The United States is the chief purchaser.

Palliation

Ethel—Isn't young Boodle awful cross-eyed?

Henrietta—Yes, but since he got that touring car you'd hardly notice it.—Judge.

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A Start.

"Have you laid the foundation for your Presidential boom?"

"Yes. I have announced by unwillingness to be a candidate."—Washington Star.

"Where're you living now, Podgers?"

"Nowhere. Boarding at the same old place."—Browning's Magazine.

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Mother—Never mind, darling, you shall see it next time—if you're very good.—Punch.

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The Rule.

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"But how can you make sure of this luck?"

"Why, by being successful."—Life.

Dr. Pierce's Pellets, small, sugar-coated, easy to take as candy, regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels and cure constipation.—Adv.

His Size.

The Judge—You say your wife assaulted you with a dangerous and deadly weapon? What was it?

Mr. Pewee—It was a fly swatter, your Honor.—Judge.

Qualified.

"Are you good at figures?" asked the business man.

"I might to be," replied the woman who had applied for a position. "I used to be wardrobe mistress for a burlesque troupe."—Judge.

Lost and Found.

This is either a queer or a dishonest or one-sided world. There are always ten times as many "losts" as there are "founds" in the ad. columns.—Detroit Free Press.

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JUST HUMOR

TICKET SELLER WAS WRATHY

Madame Bernhardt Willing to Give Up Afternoon of Rest But Man of Pasteboards Was Peeved.

Margaret Illington, the actress, tells of Sarah Bernhardt's last repertory engagement in America. Madame was giving performances every evening and matinees every day but Friday, which afternoon she reserved for rest. A company in Philadelphia was playing "Madame X" at the same time that Bernhardt was playing it, and the manager desired his players to see the divine Sarah in it. They could get away only on one day—Friday. So the Philadelphia manager went to Bernhardt's manager and asked him if it would be possible for Bernhardt to give a Friday matinee. Her manager, eager to please the Philadelphian, but dubious, finally agreed to ask Bernhardt. When he had explained, she readily agreed to give up her afternoon of rest. Her manager went back to the lobby in a daze.

"Bernhardt is more than mortal; she is capable of the work of ten men," he told the Philadelphian. "She is going to give that extra matinee Friday."

Suddenly the ticket seller poked his head out of his cage. "Extra matinee Friday?" he yelled. "Good gracious! What does that woman think I'm made of?"—Green Book Magazine.

Cheerful Prospect.

"Young man," queried the stern parent, "are you in a position to support my daughter in the style to which she has been accustomed?"

"Sir," replied the young man, proudly, "I am able to keep three horses and—"

"But what has that got to do with supporting my daughter?" interrupted the stern parent. "I hope you are not figuring on boarding her at a livery stable?"

A Chicken Fancier.

"Well, Dinah, I hear you are married?"

"Yessum," said the former cook. "I'se done got me a man now."

"Is he a good provider?"

"Yassum. He's a mighty good pervider, but I'se powerful skeered he's gwyne ter git kotched at it."

Low Speed.

"You say Chuggs has never been arrested for speeding?"

"Never."

"The deuce! What does he get out of his car?"

"About eight miles an hour."

A Downpour.

"What do you do when your wife begins to cry, Jibway?"

"As my wife is a head taller than I am and she cries copiously, my first thought is to stand from under."

TOO SHORT.

"Aren't you afraid some bold robbe will hold you up?"

"I always carry a six-shooter."

"I prefer a six-footer."

No Diplomatic Concession.

"So Willie Binks blacked your eye," said the small boy's father.

"Yes."

"And hasn't he apologized?"

"No. He won't even refer to it as an unfortunate accident."

Great Men.

"Has your town any great men?"

"Well, I don't know how great they are, but three of our citizens have their pictures published in patent medicine ads every day."—Detroit Free Press.

Sir or Ma'am?

Equestrian—Are you going fishing little boy?

L. B.—No.

Equestrian—No what?

L. B.—Durned if I know!—Judge.

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SEEKS FAME ON THE STAGE

Chinese Girl Aspires to Be the Sarah Bernhardt of the Oriental Race.

For all of her Irish name, Peggy O'Wing has never seen Ireland, nor, for that matter, have her father and mother had any Irish ancestry. Peg is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wing Bock of Newark, N. J. Of course one wonders why, if her father's name is Bock, she is called O'Wing. The Chinese do things which we Americans seem to be puzzled over. It is because her father and mother are Chinese that her name is O'Wing. That signifies daughter of Wing, Wing being Mr. Bock's surname. Though she is thoroughly Americanized, some of the oriental ways which she has not forsaken added charm to the fair Celestial

Would Be Bernhardt of Race.

maiden who is seeking a husband. Peg is, according to the manner of Chinese reckoning, eighteen years old but only seventeen according to the American method. Now eighteen in China is considered an old age for an unmarried girl, and her father has endeavored in every possible way to aid Dan Cupid. Chinamen by the scores have come to the Bock home and have been captivated by the charm of the fair maid, but she would have none of them, because she has made up her mind to have none but an American husband. Her charming features resemble those of a Spanish beauty, and that is saying something, for when a Spanish girl is a beauty she is "some pippin." Peg O'Wing has other aspirations besides securing an American husband, for she aspires to be the Sarah Bernhardt of her own race. It was against the wishes of her father who is a prominent merchant, that she studied for the stage, for in China the parent of a girl frowns on any attempt of his child disporting herself for the admiration of the crowd. Consequently a stage life for the Chinese woman is never encouraged. So rare is the Chinese actress in China that men often play the roles of women. Miss O'Wing will be the only Chinese actress in the United States. Her three sisters are praying that she will meet with the success she deserves on her initial appearance in New York. She speaks Italian, Chinese, German and French as well as English, and she feels that an American of her ideal type will appreciate her more as a wife, than a Chinaman.

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Kind Old Lady—I'm sure you won't mind my asking you, but are you a relative of Captain Jones, of Mudford?

The Officer—Madam, I am Captain Jones of Mudford.

Kind Old Lady—Ah, then, that accounts for the extraordinary resemblance!—London Opinion.

This Way Out!

Soph—Does your car smoke?

Senior—Only when I try to back 'er.

DISEASE IS SPREAD BY RATS

Their Migratory Habits Explain Many Facts Connected With Dissemination of Plague Germs.

That the migratory habits of rodents have a bearing upon the spread of disease is not generally known, but the United States public health service, as a result of experiments conducted in plague epidemic work at New Orleans, asserts that such is the case. This is but another illustration that the field of preventive medicine is especially broad, and investigators therein must be thoroughly familiar with the life history and habits of flies, mosquitoes, ticks and even rodents.

Several hundred captured rats were marked for purposes of identification by having their ears punched, care being taken not to render them conspicuous, as fellow rodents wage relentless warfare upon those which appear different from their kind. They were then released in the heart of the city, and allowed to shift for themselves. Trapping was carried on in all sections, and each rat was labeled as to the locality caught. Fully one-quarter of the rats made widespread excursions, that is, they were recaptured at points from one to four miles from where they were liberated. In one instance, a rat traveled 19 blocks, crossing one of the widest and busiest streets in the city, where there was no subterranean passage and was retaken within 60 hours from the time of its liberation. From the experiments it is concluded that the semi-domesticated rat has migratory habits similar to wild animals, and that these habits are influenced by abundance or scarcity of food, facility for harborage, or the presence of natural enemies. It is also believed that certain inexplicable instincts tend to make the rat a wanderer. That in this instance the "homing" instinct was not responsible for the migration of rodents explains many facts connected with the dissemination of plague; it will also doubtless prove enlightening to those who have attempted to exterminate rats for economic reasons. The Indian plague commission was of the opinion that rats seldom journeyed from one section of the city to another, but the conclusion of the public health officials is quite the opposite. As a measure of the success of trapping operations, it is interesting to note that over one-half of the rodents liberated were recaptured within a month.

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Serving Dinner.

With the help of this suggestion women who do their own work and have a good deal of company can arrange things so that with the aid of their tea wagons they can serve four-course dinners without getting up from the table or leaving the room. The cold dessert has presented many a problem, as well as the hot main course. One way to keep things hot after they are ready for the table is to put the serving dishes into a home-made "fireless" fixed up for the purpose. Line a large candy box with asbestos and paint it white. Tightly covered, things keep hot in it for fifteen or twenty minutes, giving time to get the first course out of the way. When you do not need this box to keep the main course hot, use it to keep the dessert cold. It delays the melting of ice cream, for instance.

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Aesop on Preparedness.

A wild boar was whetting his tusks against a tree, when a fox coming by asked why he did so, "for," said he, "I see no reason for it; there is neither hunter nor hound in sight, nor any other danger that I can see at hand." "True," replied the boar, "but when the danger does arise I shall have something else to do than to sharpen my weapons."

It is too late to whet the sword when the trumpet sounds to draw it.—Philadelphia Ledger.

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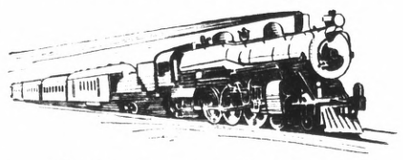

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POLICE DOG MAKES ARREST

Gets Vagrant While on Nightly Stroll and Proves Right to Be on Payroll.

Detroit.—Franz, the police dog, earned his right to be on the payroll a few days ago when he arrested one Davo McCarthy, a vagrant, who sought alms from the traveling men emerging from the Pontchartrain hotel.

Davo's appearance and the smell of his breath did not appeal to Franz, so he backed the derelict up against the wall and barked for his attendant, Patrolman Thomas Hudson, who had Franz out for an airing.

On Franz's complaint Dave was taken to central headquarters, where he was registered as a vagrant.

In treating wounds containing dirt, always wash them out with warm soft water and castile soap, drying before applying Hanford's Balsam of Myrrh. Adv.

A Burglar's Trick.

Burglar—There goes a detective. Pick his pocket and bring me his knife.

Pickpocket—Wot d'ye want his knife for?

Burglar—The next time I'm attacked I'll defend meself with it, an' then leave it behind fer him to find when he's huntin' fer clews.—New York Weekly.

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Considering Father.

"I told my girl the other night that if she didn't marry me I'd hang myself in front of the house."

"What did she say?"

"She said: 'Oh, don't do it. You know that father doesn't want you hanging around here.'"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Realistic.

"The play is not a bit realistic."

"Why so?"

"There's an interval of one week between the first and second acts, and they have the same servant in both."—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

Fault of Darkness.

Curiosity Seeker—Love, why do they call you blind?

Love—Well, if you had been sitting around in the dark as long as I have, you'd be blind, too.—Michigan Gargoyle.

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Only a Branch.

"If you really are connected with the Von Blewbudds, why haven't you a family tree?"

"Well—ahem—to tell the truth, our family is only a branch."—Puck.

She cares not who makes the money if she is allowed to spend it.

NO LAW WILL STOP FLIRTING

And Trouble Seems to Lie Rather With the Girls Than With the Boys.

Every person of sense knows that there is danger in flirting, but no law will stop the practice or relieve it of its danger. The trouble lies in the girls rather than the boys. We have been accustomed to think of our girls as too modest and refined to flirt. Most of them are, but the proportion that is not is altogether too large—larger than need be. Nowadays when a girl goes to work in store or factory she seems to think she has been emancipated from home control, and all too often the parents make no attempt to free her from this delusion. The consequence is that she is in constant danger because she is likely in her new-found freedom to follow the course of the pleasure-seekers among her companions. Proper home training and control of the girl until she has acquired knowledge of the dangers that beset a young girl in the world are better preventives of flirting and its accompanying evils than all the laws that all the legislatures could pass.—Rochester Union and Advertiser.

Coleridge—the Last Phase.

Professor Blackie in his autobiographical sketch entitled "Notes of a Life," tells of a visit he paid to Coleridge; then living at Highgate, of whom he remembers only two things, "(1) that he was an old, infirm, down-bent man; (2) that he told me he had thrown overboard all speculative philosophy, finding perfect satisfaction in the first chapter of the gospel of John."

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HIS HEART IN CALIFORNIA

Peculiar Comment of Iowa Boy That Is Put on Record by Los Angeles Newspaper.

An Iowa family had located in sunny California and were very happy with their surroundings, but the mother noticed, with regret, that her young son had lost all interest in his native state, while she wished him always to remember lovingly the land of his birth. One day, calling him to her, she said:

"Son, sit down and listen, while I read you a few lines from a speech delivered at Des Moines, Iowa, by Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis, pastor of Plymouth church, Brooklyn" (who had also been an Iowa boy).

The mother read: "Young man, don't leave your state thinking there is a better country in the East or West. God Almighty smiled when he made New York and Seattle, but he laughed outright with his blessing when he made Iowa."

The lad, springing to his feet, shouted, "H'm, I'll bet God just roared when he made California."—Los Angeles Times.

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POLITICAL GUESSES.

It is rumored that Richmond will eventually adopt the Dayton plan of city government. (Fair enough)

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A popular local carman is slated for the candidacy of city manager. This is in the cards, according to the report of a member of the "Secret Six."

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The Iroquois club of Southeast Richmond, many of the members S. O. employes, are urging the candidacy of Harry O. Watson for the State Assembly. Mr. Watson made a good showing in the city election contest for councilman

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It is said a popular S. O. employes is a dark horse for a county office and that "the current" will soon be turned on.

Supervisor Zeb Knott is Hoyle on highways, and directs them into Richmond, not through it nor around it.

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All the wise old forecasters in politics claim that a "revolution" in Contra Costa county politics is coming in 1916-18. They say the signs of the political zodiac point to the crawfish; signifying a "backing up" into the sanity zone.

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The name of Assemblyman W. R. Sharkey is mentioned for candidate for congress. Editor Sharkey, it is said, has his eye on the state senator toga. But why not try for congressional honors? If we remember, Judge Frank Devlin was only nosed out by a handful of votes.

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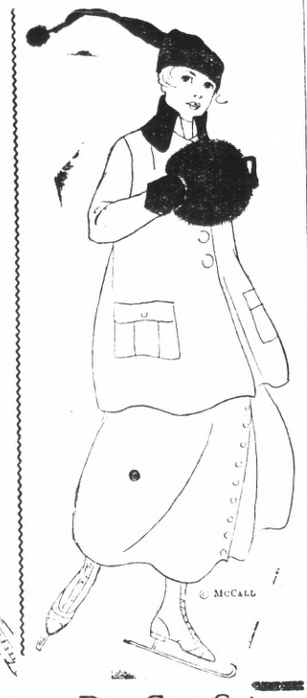

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State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1915-1916.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county, the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1915-1916, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property, is due and payable on the

Third Monday in October,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in November next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and that unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the current taxes, and that at said time half the taxes on the

Last Monday in April next,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. That the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January next,

and will be delinquent in the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

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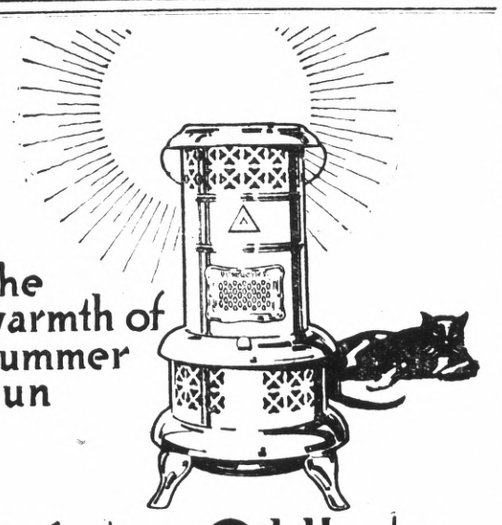

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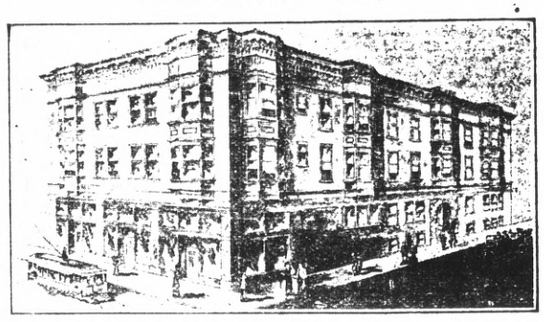

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